

WHITLEY COUNTY

- **Lead Agency:** ITPC does not currently have a community program funded in Whitley County.

Contact Information

- If you live in Whitley County and need information about tobacco prevention and cessation, please call 574-896-0813 and ask to speak with Rachelle Back, Regional Program Director.



County Data

Adult Smoking Rate – 23%
Number of Adult Smokers – 5,174
Smoking During Pregnancy – 19.1%
Number of Smoking-Affected Births – 74
Lung Cancer Incidence (2003-2007) – 79.7 per 100,000
Lung Cancer Mortality (2003-2007) – 57.7 per 100,000

Total Population – 30,707

Ages 0-4 – 2,101
Ages 5-17 – 6,112
Ages 18-24 – 2,486
Ages 25 and older – 20,008

African American – 57
White – 30,205
Hispanic – 276

Tobacco Free Policies

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities:

- Otis R. Bowen Center for Human Services, Inc.
- Parkview Whitley

Public School Districts:

- Whitley Co Cons Schools

Government Buildings:

County

- Courthouse

City

- Columbia City- City Parks
- Columbia City – City
- Columbia City- City Utilities
- Churubusco-Town Hall
- South Whitley- Town Hall
- South Whitley-Library
- Peabody-Library